

Town of  
**Matthews**<sup>TM</sup>  
Parks, Recreation &  
Cultural Resource

# 2018 Summer Camps & Events

**Matthews Community Center**

100 McDowell Street  
(704) 321-7275

**McDowell Arts Center**

123 McDowell Street  
(704) 847-9746

**Crews Recreation Center**

1201 Crews Road  
(behind Matthews Police Dept.)  
(704) 708-1287

For more classes and events and/or to  
REGISTER ONLINE visit:  
[www.MatthewsFun.com](http://www.MatthewsFun.com)



**2nd & 4th  
Fridays  
April - Sept  
5pm-9pm**

Stumptown Park  
120 S. Trade St.

**Great Variety of Gourmet Food Trucks!  
Craft Beer Pavilion • Bounce Houses • Jenga & Corn Hole**

**Summer Camp Cancellation Policy**

- If this camp is cancelled by the Town of Matthews prior to the start of the camp, participants will receive a 100% refund.
- If this camp is cancelled by the Town of Matthews after it has started, there will be a pro-rated refund minus the number of days of camp attended.
- If the participant withdraws from the camp 15+ days prior to the beginning of camp, there will be a 100% refund.
- If the participant withdraws from the camp between 7 and 14 days of the beginning of the camp, there will be a 90% refund.
- If the participant withdraws from the camp 6 days or less before the beginning of the camp or after the camp has started, there will be NO REFUND.
- All refunds for participant withdrawals are subject to a \$10.00 Administrative Fee.

Through participation in these activities, I hereby give the Town of Matthews the right to photograph, televise, film, and sound record my acts, appearances and utterances of me and to use any descriptive words or names, including my name in conjunction therewith and without limit as to the time, to produce and reproduce the same or any part thereof by any method and to use for any purpose which the Town deems proper. All such photographs, video, films and sound recording shall be the exclusive property of the Town and I hereby relinquish all rights, title, and interest therein.

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## Camp FUNshine

(full day camp program for ages 6-11)

Weekly Camp:

**Monday – Friday, June 18 – August 3**  
**No camp July 4th**



*Includes field trips to Discovery Place, Lazy 5 Ranch, Extreme Ice Center, Sports Connection, Inner Peaks, Carowinds, and more!*

**Regular Camp Hours: 9am – 5pm**

Pre Camp: 7:30am – 9am Post Camp: 5pm – 6pm

**Pre/Post Camp: Additional \$30 per week**

**Matthews Resident: \$165 Non-Resident: \$175**

**Complete Camp Info, Including Field Trip Schedule and Camp Location, Will Be Available on Monday, March 19th at [www.MatthewsFun.com](http://www.MatthewsFun.com)**

### FUNshine Xtreme Week (Ages 8-11):

August 6-10 — Resident: \$200 Non-Resident: \$210

*\*Includes a Field Trip Every Day! The Only Week FUNshine is Attending Carowinds and US National Whitewater Center.\**

## TeenzArt® (Ages 12 - 15)

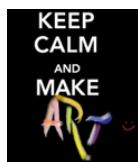
In TeenzArt Camp we dial creativity up a notch with art-enriched “workouts” packed full of age appropriate art projects. Drawing, painting, Anime, Fashion, Group Projects, and more! Exercise your “creative muscle” with TeenzArt! Each week’s projects vary. Do amazing art and meet new friends! No art experience required!

*Camps held at the McDowell Arts Center from 1pm - 4:30pm.*



### TeenzArt Camp

**July 9-13, July 16-20, July 23-27**



Matthews Resident: \$185 Non-Resident: \$195

McDowell Arts Center  
123 McDowell Street — (704) 321-7275

**\*\*Supplies are included in prices\*\***

**\*\*Bring your own snack and drink to camps\*\***

## KidzArt® Summer Camps (Ages 6 - 11)

More KidzArt® info at [www.matthews.kidzart.com](http://www.matthews.kidzart.com)

**June 18-22, June 25-29, OR July 30-August 3**

**The Art of Nature: What on Earth?** — 9am - 12:30pm

Learn yarn weaving on branches, explore fiber art, French knitting, collage, weave baskets from recycled bags, newspaper and magazines create fairy house sculptures and draw and paint. Learn to appreciate how Nature inspires ART!

**Out of this World: Space Art!** — 1pm - 4:30pm

As a NASA astronaut, you will encounter rockets and spacecrafts to construct, aliens and monsters behind every corner to draw and paint. Discover new planets using mediums such as chalk, cray-pas, oil pastels, watercolors and acrylic painting. This fun camp adds science to art as we explore SPACE!



**July 9-13, July 16-20, July 23-27 OR August 6-10**

**The Art of Escape: Secret Agent Camp!** — 9am - 12:30pm

As an expert sleuth, you will encounter secret codes, fingerprints, locked boxes and shady characters. Combining STEM with Art, we will uncover the hidden mystery on the last day as we work our way through a week of painting, building, drawing, sculpting and more!

**Growl, Roar, Chirp: Exotic Animals!** — 1pm - 4:30pm



Have you ever seen a Tapir, Giant Coconut Crab or an Aye-Aye? Create art inspired by the beauty of unusual animals from Asia, South America and Africa. Learn how animals have inspired art. Draw, Paint and create art in styles of these countries such as Molas, collages, clay sculptures, and more!

### Each KidzArt Camp:

**Matthews Resident: \$185 Non-Resident: \$195**

**Bring your own snack & drink to camp**

**\*\*For FREE Pre & Post Care, you must register for both AM and PM session that week. For more info:**

**[matthews.kidzart.com](http://matthews.kidzart.com)**



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## **Arts Delivered — Ceramics/Pottery Camps**

Did you know that the McDowell Arts Center has become a CLAY destination?

Pack a snack and dress for a fun mess!

3 separate half-day camps for  
**Rising 1st - 8th Graders.**

**Clay/Pottery/Glaze Camp 12:30pm-4pm:**

**June 25-29**

**July 30-August 3**

**August 20-24**

Clay campers discover local clay history and use coils, slabs, molds, extrusions, pottery wheels & glazes to create their own projects for a class-wide Multi-Media Art Exhibition!

**Matthews Resident: \$175    Non-Resident: \$185**

10% Sibling Discount; Cost includes all materials



Questions: Contact Rick Crowley at  
(704) 618-2222 or [artsdelivered@gmail.com](mailto:artsdelivered@gmail.com)

MUCH MORE INFO at  
[www.artsdelivered.com](http://www.artsdelivered.com) or  
[www.facebook.com/artsdelivered](http://www.facebook.com/artsdelivered)

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## **Matthews Ballet & Dance Camps**

**\*Bring your own snack and drink to camp\***

**Camps are held 9:30am - 12pm**

**Matthews Resident: \$110**

**Non-Resident: \$120**

### **Princess Camp (Ages 4 - 8)**

**June 25-29, July 9-13 OR July 30-August 3**

Join us for a week of nothing but princesses in our Popular Princess Camp! Daily ballet class followed by craft and other activities.



### **Dance Intensive (Ages 11-14)**

**July 23-25, 9:30am - 12:30pm**

Three mornings of nothing but dance! Students will learn ballet, conditioning, modern, jazz, terminology, and more!



### **Fairy Camp (Ages 4-8)**

**July 16-20 OR August 6-10**

A fun-filled week of fairy activities. Daily ballet class, followed by a fairy-themed craft and other activities.



### **Dance Divas (Ages 8-10)**

**August 13-15, 9:30am - 12:30pm**

Three mornings of nothing but dance! Students will learn ballet, conditioning, modern, jazz, terminology, and more!





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## **Math Mania**



July 16 - 20 — 9:30am-12:30pm  
**Rising 2nd-5th Graders**

Woo-hoo! Unleash your child's inner math genius with a fun-filled day of brain teasers, logic problems, math games and individualized small group instruction on core concepts. All activities are multi-sensory and specifically designed to maximize math fluency, increase critical thinking skills and encourage a LOVE for math.

As a bonus, each camper will bring home a "smart pack" filled with tips, tricks, games and resources to help them enjoy math and reading all year long! Two NC Certified Teachers will be teaching each SOAR Camp. Outdoor activities and snack scheduled daily. Please bring a light snack from home.



## **Reading Rox!**

July 23 - 27 — 9:30am-12:30pm  
**Rising 2nd-5th Graders**

Come and discover the joy and excitement that only a fantastic story can deliver! Poems, Tall Tales, Myths, Legends, History, Geography and Science are all ready to be thoroughly explored in this wonderful camp through group games and individualized small group instruction. All activities are designed to promote a LOVE of reading and reinforce core skills.

As a bonus, each camper will bring home a "smart pack" filled with tips, tricks, games and resources to help them enjoy math and reading all year long! Two NC Certified Teachers will be teaching each SOAR Camp. Outdoor activities and snack scheduled daily. Please bring a light snack from home.

**Cost For Each SOAR Camp:**

**Matthews Resident: \$130      Non-Resident: \$140**

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## **Writing Wonders**



July 30 - Aug. 3 — 9:30am-12:30pm  
**Rising 2nd-5th Graders**

Take a walk on the wild side! Find your inner voice and create amazing, wondrous, silly, outrageous, funny and beautiful works of writing with a stroke of your pen, pencil, marker or other writing instrument! Learn to "leap over" writer's block & pummel through the stages of writing in record time.

All activities are designed to promote a LOVE for writing through small group instruction and collaboration with friends. As a bonus, each camper will bring home a "smart pack" filled with resources to keep writing wonderful all year long!

Two NC Certified Teachers will be teaching Writing Wonders. Outdoor activities and snack scheduled daily. Please bring a light snack from home.

**Matthews Resident: \$130**

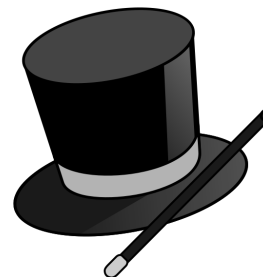
**Non-Resident: \$140**

## **Magic Camp for Beginners (Ages 7-11)**

Do you believe in Magic?

Would you like to amaze your friends and family?

Beginner magicians will learn and perform tricks each day, create their own props, and view cool demonstrations! They will also get to participate in a magic show at the end of the week!



June 18-22 — 9:30am - 12:00pm

**Matthews Resident: \$120**

**Non-Resident: \$130**

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## **Abrakadoodle Art Camps (Ages 3-5)**

**Taught by Michelle de Beus**



### **Mad About Movies!**

**June 18-22 (9am-12pm) OR**

**July 23-27 (1pm-4pm)**

Make marvelous movie art in this FUN camp! Tell movie stories, recreate favorite characters, and explore animation and illustrations. Enjoy movie music and games too!

### **Under the Sea Art Camp!**

**June 18-22 (1pm-4pm) OR July 23-27 (9am-12pm)**

Make a big splash and join us for Under the Sea adventures while designing cool art projects, playing games, reading stories, learning about ecology and examining underwater habitats. Dive in and have tons of FUN under the sea!



### **It's a Jungle Out There! Art Camp**

**July 30-Aug 3 (9am-12pm) OR Aug. 6-10 (1pm-4pm)**

Jump into this jungle adventure! Learn about the rainforest, its animals, plants, indigenous people and more! Have a wild time creating fun rainforest art projects, playing games and making friends!



### **Extreme! STEAM Art Camp!**

**July 30-Aug. 3 (1pm-4pm) OR Aug. 6-10 (9am-12pm)**

Boys and girls learn how Science, Technology, Engineering and Math concepts inspire innovative Art creations! Be an EXTREME artist, explore art techniques, play games and make new friends!



**Matthews Resident \$110  
Non-Resident \$120**



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## **Abrakadoodle Art Camps (Ages 3-5)**

### **Paws, Claws and Hooves!**

**August 13-17 (9am-12pm)**



From pets to dragons, bring your imagination and we will provide a ROAAAAARing camp experience! Using paints, collage, sculpture and more, we will bring your favorite animal creatures to life while you have lots of FUN!

### **Camp Build It!**

**August 13-17 (1pm-4pm)**

Kids are natural builders and this camp is all about building really cool stuff like large-scale sculptures, amazing structures, imaginative creatures, games and more! Kids have fun while making awesome art projects!

**Matthews Resident \$110**

**Non-Resident \$120**

## **Creative Chefs (Ages 8 - 14)**

**Taught by Maria Tavares**

Join us in this fun hands-on culinary program to be inspired to appreciate good food, to learn that healthy can be delicious, and to start to build lifelong cooking skills. The newly improved menu is focused on refreshing snacks, salads, gluten-free baked goods, and a few raw vegan dishes. Its approach is to introduce recipes using nutritious and healthy ingredients like organic fruits and vegetables, alternative flours (like almond, arrowroot, and tapioca), refined sugar substitutes (like honey, maple syrup, stevia, agave nectar, & molasses), nuts & seeds (like almonds, pecans, walnuts, cashews, sunflower, and pumpkin), and coconut oil. Campers will actively participate in all steps happening in the kitchen like preparing, making, plating up, tasting and critiquing the food, as well as cleaning.



**June 11-15, July 9-13, OR August 13-17  
9am - 12:30pm**

**Matthews Resident: \$125**

**Non-Resident: \$135**

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### Exploring African Art (Ages 6-12)

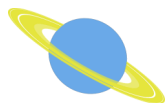
Create your own version of art that is based on traditions and influences that have been passed down for years in African countries. Explore media and techniques such as batik, bead working, watercolors, acrylics, cardboard and found objects to create beautiful works of art to take home.



**June 11-15 — 1:30pm - 5pm**  
**July 30-Aug. 3 — 9am - 12:30pm**

### 2018 Space Odyssey (Ages 6-12)

Travel through outer space with us in this journey to the stars! Create a new planet and build an alien spaceship, along with its goofy pilot, from paper mâché and clay. Create beautiful nighttime skies using pastels, acrylics and printmaking techniques.



**June 18-22 — 1:30pm - 5pm**  
**August 6-10 — 9am - 12:30pm**

### Re-Love a Chair (Ages 6 -12)

Have fun bringing new life to an old piece of furniture. Using wire, wood, cardboard, paper mâché and paint, transform an everyday piece into an imaginative work of art! Choose your chair from home or from a thrift store, bring found objects and put your creativity to work.

**June 25-29 — 9am - 12:30pm**

### Mosaic Art Techniques (Ages 6-12)

Be prepared to make beautiful, wearable, usable and decorative artwork using mosaic techniques inspired by different cultures and artists around the world. Experiment with a variety of materials such as paper, beads, cardboard, yarn, and more to create unique and colorful pieces to take home.

**June 25-29 — 1:30pm - 5pm**  
**August 20-24 — 9am - 12:30pm**



**Camps Taught by Maria Tavares**

**Matthews Resident: \$115 Non-Resident: \$125**

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### Exploring Mexican & Central American Art (Ages 6-12)

Create your own version of art that is based on traditions and influences that have been passed down for years in Hispanic countries. Explore media and techniques such as batik, bark painting, yarn painting, bead working, applique, tempera and acrylics to create original colorful artworks.



**July 9-13 — 1:30pm - 5pm**  
**August 20-24 — 1:30pm - 5pm**

### Batik, Shibori & Printmaking (Ages 6-12)

Explore fabric dyeing techniques to create colorful textile works of art. Discover the magical world of resist dyeing called Batik, and Japanese tie-dyeing called Shibori. Using a child-friendly version of batik technique, experiment not only with regular dyes but also with natural ones. Complement your fun creating patterns. At the end, you will have vibrant textile creations that are wearable, usable or ready for display.

**August 6-10 — 1:30pm - 5pm**

### Bugs & Flowers Mixed Media (Ages 6-12)

Join us in this unique program inspired by nature, which combines art and science, where you will experiment with mixed media techniques as you learn new facts or reinforce prior knowledge about flowers and insects. Observe preserved insects with magnifying lenses to reproduce details in your projects. Work with techniques such as drawing, collage, batik, acrylics, watercolors, pastels, paper mâché, and printmaking to create original and colorful artworks to take home.



**August 13-17 — 1:30pm - 5pm**

### Fairy & Gnome House Building (Ages 6-12)

Join us as we explore stories and lore of fairies and gnomes as well as create things to lure these magical creatures to come out and play!

Build, furnish and decorate little homes for fairies and gnomes with a variety of natural materials. Create your own little friends too.



**June 18 - 22 — 9am - 12:30pm**  
**July 30 - August 3 — 1:30pm - 5pm**

**Camps Taught by Maria Tavares**

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## **Maker Camp (Ages 8-11)**

Calling all creators and tinkerers! The Maker Camp is for those who like to build, make, create, and innovate. Campers will get to participate in fun challenges and team building activities, such as making a marble roller coaster, as well as make multiple individual crafts each session.

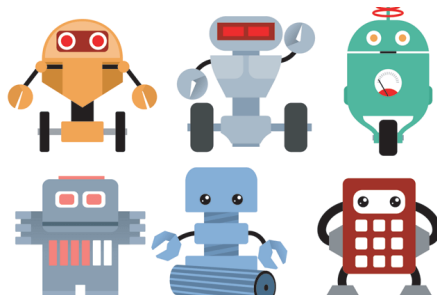
**3-Day Camp: June 18, 20, and 22**  
(Monday, Wednesday, and Friday)

**1pm - 3:30pm**

Matthews Resident: \$100

Non-Resident: \$110

**\*\*Cost Includes All Materials and Supplies\*\***



Squirrel Lake Park  
1631 Pleasant Plains Rd — (704) 708-1288

**\*\*Supplies are included in prices\*\***

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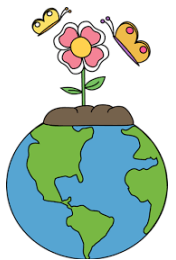
## **Great Outdoors University** **Half-Day Camps**

**July 9-13, July 23-27, August 6-10**

**9am - 12pm — Ages 7 - 13**

**Squirrel Lake Park**

NCWF's Great Outdoors University Camps give kids a chance to connect with nature and make discoveries about the natural world in ways that will encourage continued learning and stewardship.



Join us for a week of hiking, fishing, stream exploration, and more!

Kids will participate in different activities each day, and will take home a lifetime of experiences.



Great Outdoors University is affiliated with the North Carolina Wildlife Federation.

Matthews Resident: \$100

Non-Resident: \$105

For questions about this camp, contact  
Scott Rawls at (704) 708-1288 or  
[srawls@matthewsnc.gov](mailto:srawls@matthewsnc.gov)



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\*Camps in green are held at the Matthews Community Center  
\*Camps in brown are held at Squirrel Lake Park

**Matthews Resident: \$95      Non-Resident: \$100**

**Digging Dinosaurs (Rising Grades K-2)**  
**June 25-29**

Are you a future paleontologist? Dig for fossils as you learn about the colossal creatures that once roamed the Earth. Create dinosaur eggs, investigate pterodactyl flight and practice your excavation skills.

**Matthews Community Center, 9am - 12pm**

**Kitchen Concoctions (Rising Grades 2-5)**  
**July 23-27**

The kitchen is a place full of great ingredients, and we'll measure, mix, and mold family foods and playtime delights ...from yummy snacks to no-bake playdough. Bring your imagination and creativity along to make a variety of wonderful things!

**Crews Recreation Center, 9am - 12pm**

**Rockets & Roller Coasters (Rising Grades 3-5)**  
**July 9-13**

Explore Newton's laws of force and motion while you build roller coasters, set off rockets and participate in fun, frictionless races.

**Matthews Community Center, 9am-12pm**



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**Matthews Resident: \$95      Non-Resident: \$100**

**Zoologists (Rising Grades K-2)**  
**July 30-August 3**

The world is full of amazing animals, and zoologists study them all! Learn about both native and exotic animals, from their diet to their behavior as you explore their world. Get the chance to meet some of the animals that call our Earth home.

**Crews Recreation Center, 9am - 12pm**

**Wizarding World (Rising Grades 3-5)**  
**August 6-10**

Dive into the wizarding world and discover the science behind magic. Be sorted into Hogwarts houses, attend potions class and learn what it takes to be a wizard.

**Matthews Community Center, 9am-12pm**

**Outdoor Explorers (Rising Grades 2-5)**  
**June 25-29 OR July 16-20 OR July 30-Aug 3**

Learn about identification and care as we look at the plants and animals that live in our own backyards and beyond, by performing experiments such as seed dissections and water quality testing. Study native insects and animals, learn survival skills, learn how to be more eco-friendly, have a chance to meet one of those native animals, and more in this week exploring the great outdoors! **Squirrel Lake Park, 9am - 12pm**





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## **Camp Gymstars**

Camp Gymstars offers **3-6 year olds** a structured, fun, and active environment where youth will participate in a variety of sports, activities and games.

Popular mascots from local area sports teams will visit each week to interact with the campers and take pictures as well!

Camps are held from **8:30am - 12:00pm.**

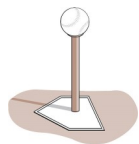


**June 25 - 29: Basketball**

**July 9 - 13: Soccer**

**July 16 - 20: T-ball**

**July 23 - 27: Flag Football**



Matthews Resident: \$85  
Non-Resident: \$95



## **Camp Crews: Half Day**

Camp Crews Half-Day Camps will be offered at the recreation center this summer for **7 - 12 year olds** interested in having fun and learning about various sports. In addition to learning the fundamentals, youth will play games and tournaments throughout the week.

Camps are held from **1pm - 4pm.**

**June 25 - 29: Basketball**

**July 9 - 13: Soccer**

**July 16 - 20: Super Games**

**July 23 - 27: Lacrosse**

Matthews Resident: \$85    Non-Resident: \$95

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## **Muggsy Bogues** **Fundamental Basketball Camp**

**June 18 - 22 OR August 6 - 10**

**Ages 6-13 — 9:00am - 4:00pm**

**Crews Recreation Center**

Local basketball legend Muggsy Bogues returns to Crews this summer with a pair of basketball camps for any children between the ages of 6-13.



These week-long camps will give campers a chance to learn from Muggsy's staff of experienced counselors, as well the former NBA great and Basketball Hall of Fame nominee himself.

Campers will participate in a variety of different skills games and tournaments, which will not only teach them the fundamentals, but will allow them to learn in a fun and positive environment.  
Lunch will be provided daily.

**June 18 - 22:**

Matthews Resident: \$280    Non-Resident: \$285

**Aug. 6-10:**

Matthews Resident: \$290    Non-Resident: \$295

## **Play-Well: JEDI Engineering Lego® Camps** **(Ages 5 - 12; 8-12)**

**June 25-29**

### **JEDI Engineering with LEGO®:**

**Ages 5 - 7: 9am - 12pm**

The Force Awakens in this introductory engineering course for young Jedi!

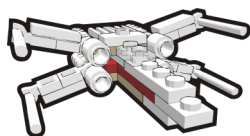
Explore engineering principles by designing and building projects using LEGO® materials such as X-wings, R2 Units, Energy Catapults, Defense Turrets, and Settlements from a galaxy far, far away. Create motorized and architectural projects with imagination and engineering to defeat the Empire!

### **JEDI Master Engineering with LEGO®:**

**Ages 8 - 12: 1pm - 4pm**

The Force Awakens in this advanced engineering course for young Jedi! Discover key engineering concepts such as gear trains, worm drives, pneumatics, and eccentric motion. Build projects from LEGO® materials such as X-Wings, AT-AT walkers, Pod Racers, Star Destroyers, Cloud Cities, Settlements, Fortresses, and other complex machines and structures from a galaxy far, far away.

**Matthews Resident: \$145    Non-Resident: \$150**



## **Play-Well: STEM LEGO® Camps** **(Ages 5 - 12; 8-12)**

**July 16-20**



### **Intro to STEM with LEGO®**

**Ages 5-7: 9am - 12pm**

Give your imagination a boost with tens of thousands of LEGO® parts! Build engineer-designed projects such as: Cities, Garbage Trucks, Catamarans and Dinosaurs. Design and build as never before, and explore your craziest ideas in a supportive environment. There are no prerequisites for this camp.

### **STEM Challenge with LEGO®**

**Ages 8-12: 1pm - 4pm**

Gear up your engineering skills with Play-Well TEKnologies and tons of thousands of LEGO® parts! Apply real-world concepts in physics, engineering and architecture through engineer-designed projects such as: Forklifts, Houseboats, Mini Golf courses, and the London Tower Bridge Design and build as never before, and explore your craziest ideas in a supportive environment. There are no prerequisites for this camp.

**Matthews Resident: \$145**

**Non-Resident: \$150**

## **Fencing Camp (Ages 8 - 16)**

**August 13 - 17    —    1:00pm - 4:00pm**



This camp teaches Olympic-style fencing through Charlotte Fencing Academy.

Coach Colleen Gallant will be instructing campers on the fundamental footwork, blade work, and tactics involved in this fast-paced Olympic sport.

Equipment is provided.

**Matthews Resident: \$185**

**Non-Resident: \$195**